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Docket Number (Optional) 120-370 PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) In re Application of Filed 12/14/2001 Application Number 10/020068 Phase Compensated Distributed Bragg Reflector 2828 Examiner Nguyen Art Unit This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filling a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): \$,00 One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) Two months (37 CFR 1,17(a)(2))

X Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 420,00 \$,00 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$.00 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by onehalf, and the resulting fee is: \$_ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 502569 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. applicant/inventor. I am the assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038, Signature Date Lindsay McGuinness 978-264-6664 Sman betning to begyT Telephone Number NOTE: Signalures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. Total of forms are submitted.

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